## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

CAMBRIDGE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Inc. a Nebraska non-profit corporation;

Plaintiff.

VS.

4:19CV3062

AMENDED FINAL PROGRESSION ORDER

THE NEENAN COMPANY, LLLP, a Colorado limited liability limited partnership;

Defendant.

This matter is before the Court on the parties' Unopposed Motion to Extend. (Filing No. 32.) The motion is granted. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the provisions of the Court's earlier final progression order remain in effect, and in addition to those provisions, the following shall apply:

- The trial and pretrial conference will not be set at this time. A telephonic status conference to discuss case progression, the parties' interest in settlement, and the **trial and pretrial conference settings** will be held with the undersigned magistrate judge on **August 10, 2020** at **3:00 p.m.** Counsel shall use the conferencing instructions assigned to this case to participate in the conference.
- A telephonic interim status conference will be scheduled, if necessary, following the mediation in this matter, which is scheduled for **December 13, 2019**. The parties shall notify the Court no later than **December 17, 2019** as to the outcome of mediation and if mediation is not successful, if the parties want the Court to schedule an interim status conference.
- 3) The deadline to file any motion to strike a party's jury demand is **February 3, 2020**.
- 4) The deadline for serving initial mandatory disclosures under Rule 26(a)(1) is **December 30, 2019**.
- 5) The deadlines for moving to amend pleadings or add parties are:

For the plaintiff(s): January 15, 2020
For the defendant(s): February 14, 2020

The deadline for completing written discovery under Rules 33, 34, and 36 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure is **June 30, 2020**. Motions to compel discovery under Rules 33, 34, and 36 must be filed by **July 15, 2020** 

**Note:** A motion to compel, to quash, or for a disputed protective order shall not be filed without first contacting the chambers of the undersigned magistrate judge to set a conference for discussing the parties' dispute.

7) The deadlines for identifying expert witnesses expected to testify at the trial, (both retained experts, (Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B)), and non-retained experts, (Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(C)), are:

For the plaintiff(s):

For the defendant(s):

Rebuttal:

April 24, 2020

June 15, 2020

June 30, 2020

8) The deadlines for complete expert disclosures<sup>1</sup> for all experts expected to testify at trial, (both retained experts, (Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B)), and non-retained experts, (Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(C)), are:

For the plaintiff(s):

For the defendant(s):

Rebuttal:

April 24, 2020

June 15, 2020

June 30, 2020

- 9) The deposition deadline is **August 31, 2020**.
  - a. The maximum number of depositions that may be taken by the plaintiffs as a group and the defendants as a group is 10.
  - b. Depositions will be limited by Rule 30(d)(1).
- 10) The deadline for filing motions to dismiss and motions for summary judgment is **September 10, 2020**.
- The deadline for filing motions to exclude testimony on *Daubert* and related grounds is **September 10, 2020**.
- 12) Motions in limine shall be filed seven days before the pretrial conference. It is not the normal practice to hold hearings on motions in limine or to rule on them prior to the first day of trial. Counsel should plan accordingly.
- The parties shall comply with all other stipulations and agreements recited in their Rule 26(f) planning report that are not inconsistent with this order.
- All requests for changes of deadlines or settings established herein shall be directed to the undersigned magistrate judge, including all requests for changes of trial dates. Such requests will not be considered absent a showing of due diligence in the timely progression of this case and the recent development of circumstances, unanticipated prior to the filing of the motion, which require that additional time be allowed.

Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> While treating medical and mental health care providers are generally not considered "specially retained experts," not all their opinions relate to the care and treatment of a patient. Their opinion testimony is limited to what is stated within their treatment documentation. As to each such expert, any opinions which are not stated within that expert's treatment records and reports must be separately and timely disclosed.

## BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge